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Appl. No. : 09/256,647

Applicant : Gigi CHU et al. Filed : February 23, 1999

TC/A.U. : 2153 Examiner : Dinh, D.

Confirmation No. : 1090 Docket No. : 2212.0018C

Customer No. : 27896

Title : Network Monitoring System

Commissioner for Patents

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TRANSMITTAL OF RESPONSE

Enclosed are the following documents in response to the Office Action mailed **April 9, 2004** for the above-identified application:

\boxtimes	Amendment/Response
\boxtimes	Petition for Extension of Time
	Request for Approval of Drawing Changes
	Information Disclosure Statement
	Notice of Appeal
	Associate Power
	Revocation and New Power
	Change of Address
	Return receipt postcard
\boxtimes	Other: Check No. 7927 in the amount of \$55.00 for payment of the one-

month Petition for Extension of Time fee.

The fee has been calculated as follows:

	NO. OF CLAIMS REMAINING AFTER AMENDMENT	NO. OF CLAIMS PREVIOUSLY PAID FOR	EXTRA CLAIMS	RATE	FEE
Total Claims	31	- 27 =	4	x \$18.00	72.00
Independent Claims	4	- 6 =	0	x \$86.00	0.00
If multiple dependent claims are presented, add \$280.00					
Total Amendment Fee					72.00
Applicant claims Small Entity Status (subtract 50% of Total Application Fee)					36.00
Other fees:					
TOTAL FEE DUE					\$36.00

\boxtimes	Check No. <u>7935</u> in the amount of \$ <u>36.00</u> for the total fee as calculated above.
	Please charge \$ to Deposit Account No. 05-0460 for the total fee. This paper is being submitted in duplicate.
\boxtimes	The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge any additional appropriate fees that may be required by this paper, and to credit any overpayment, to Deposit Account No. 05-0460.

By:

Dated: August 9, 2004
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